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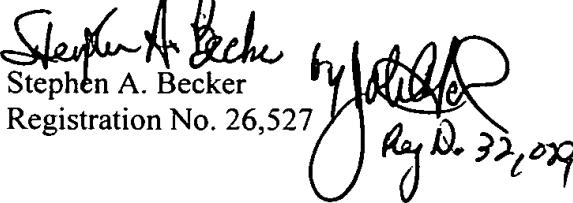
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FOR: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD AND
RECORDING MEDIUM

Enclosed are:

- 52 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
- Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- Priority Claimed.
- Certified copy of _____
- 20 sheets of formal drawing.
- An assignment of the invention to _____
and the assignment recordation fee.
- An associate power of attorney.
- Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.
- Return Receipt Postcard
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CLAIM OF PRIORITY

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In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 119, Applicants hereby claim the priority of:

Japanese Patent Application No. 11-339552,
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A certified copy will be filed in due course.

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